

Enrolment

Children may be enrolled at any time of the year, dependent on positions being available. Please contact our service if you are interested in enrolling your child and we will provide you with an enrolment package.

The Child Care Rebate is an additional payment to the Child Care Benefit. It is not income tested and covers 50% of out-of-pocket child care expenses up to \$7,500 per year for eligible families. For more information, please call 136 150 or visit www.familyassist.gov.au

About UnitingCare Children's Services

UnitingCare Children's Services is the third largest provider of education and care services in NSW.

Working in partnership with families and communities, we provide affordable and inclusive services for more than 6,500 children each year.

Our purpose is to nurture the confidence and development of children, giving them the best start in their formative years.

Our services are supported and managed by a large professional management team.

A not for profit organisation, our work is guided by the Uniting Church's principles of justice and compassion.



UnitingCare Kinross Wolaroi Outside School Hours Care

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About Us

UnitingCare Kinross Wolaroi Outside School Hours Care is managed by UnitingCare Children's Services, the third largest provider of education and care services in New South Wales.

We provide after school services for Kinross Wolaroi students aged five to 12 years.

Located in the Preparatory School Learning Support and Outside School Hours Care classroom, we offer a recreation and leisure-based program that is responsive to the abilities and interests of each child.

Our qualified and experienced educators provide a nurturing environment and quality program that caters to the individual needs and interests of your child.

The service is guided by the My Time Our Place Framework for School Aged Care in Australia. Experiences are designed to cater for differences in age, skill, interest and ability level which meet the requirements of the National Quality Standard.

All children are provided with nutritional food for afternoon tea each day.

Our Program

Our program acknowledges the importance of middle childhood. We actively support the children to become involved learners, leaders and decision makers.

The program provided is rich, varied and constantly evolving as the children learn, grow and develop.

Activities are purposefully planned with the children's interests and needs at the forefront of the planning process. They are encouraged to make individual choices within the activities available and this will vary from day to day.

Special event/activities days may be organised to follow a child's interest or encompass a special event within the school community or to celebrate a specific time of year.

At any time throughout the year you may find the children engaged in a knitting project, or making great Australian recipes including lamingtons, damper and cheese and vegemite scrolls.

The children might be excited about making a special Christmas present for a family member or they might be constructing a range of things

with the large cardboard boxes that they found in the recycling area.

On a windy day they might be seen making some kites to fly outside and then follow up on another day by making a range of unusual items that fly.

An energetic soccer game may evolve from a child's interest in the Asian Cup or a weekly cricket game may occur because a child went to a World Cup cricket match in the holidays.

Opportunities are also provided for the children to independently complete homework if required.

Keeping in Touch

UnitingCare Kinross Wolaroi Outside School Hours Care has an open door policy and we welcome daily contact with our staff.

Family participation is encouraged and we value your input and feedback.

To ensure effective communication, we provide:

- Regular updates on your child's learning and development
- Newsletters
- Information displays